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Bob, you make a very reasonable request. While I agree with your suggestion personally, I don't think we can postpone the meeting further as we've already postponed it several months. If something changes let me know and I can provide meeting logistical info (and likewise I'll let you know if it is delayed for some other reason).

Thank you and let me know if you'd like to talk further on this.

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**Subject:** RE: [External]FW: Request for Date for Meeting with EPA and ODEQ (sf3)

Hi Sean,

As we have discussed in the past, NW Natural prefers to devote its time and resources to working on the Gasco sediment design, which both EPA and DEQ have identified as a priority area for remedial action, and we hope EPA shares this priority. We do not see that it is helpful to this effort for EPA to engage in allocation-related discussions about unapproved and unverified datasets external to the ROD database with parties who have not demonstrated a significant commitment of resources to the cleanup. We further think that a meeting related to lower priority downstream petroleum contamination would be more productive after EPA has completed its review of PAH cleanup levels based upon EPA's January 2017 IRIS updates.

That said, if EPA intends to meet with these parties concerning the Gasco cleanup, we would like to be present. The November 2 date does not work well for NW Natural's technical team because of a previously scheduled meeting of our Gasco remedial design team for which multiple professionals are traveling to Portland from around the country. NW Natural is therefore requesting this meeting be

postponed until after the IRIS updates have been incorporated into EPA's implementation plan and to a convenient date.

Please let us know how you plan to proceed.

Thank you,

Bob

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Hi Bob, I wanted to let you know that we're looking at 10/3, 10/5 or 11/2 for this meeting right now, in case NWN would like to join in.

Thank you.

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**Subject:** Request for Date for Meeting with EPA and ODEQ

Dear Sean,

As you know, we are seeking a meeting with EPA Region 10 in Seattle in October or November 2017 to discuss certain technical issues relating to the results of PAH investigations and source control issues at the Gasco site. Representatives of companies that are interested in this topic and who desire to discuss these issues with EPA and ODEQ are copied on this email. We envision this as a technical meeting at which we will present our data and conclusions and learn more about the agencies' views and source control efforts.

We sent a draft agenda to you on September 18 and have not yet received any comments on it. I am attaching it again for your review. Please send any additional agenda items you may wish to include.

We were advised by Matt McClincy that ODEQ representatives are unable to attend in person if the meeting is held in October or November, but will be able to participate by webex and telephone. We will offer dial-in details for that purpose.

We understand that ODEQ wishes to invite representatives of Gasco to attend the meeting. We have not done so, but have no objection to EPA or ODEQ including them.

Once again we are asking you for dates for a Seattle meeting. We are willing to come to Region 10's offices if that is your preference. We have polled the companies' representatives and offer three suggested dates that would work well for our participants, in order of our preference:

- (1) November 2
- (2) November 3
- (3) November 1

We look forward to hearing from you.

Best regards,  
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